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additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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** SMALL ENTITY **

Title

Vessel for performing microwave-assisted chemistry on small volumes of reagents

Preliminary Class

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